

State of Alaska  
Department of Fish and Game  
Nomination for Waters  
Important to Anadromous Fish

92-600

AWC Volume SE (SC) SW W AR IN USGS Quad Anch. A-8  
Anadromous Water Catalog Number of Waterway 247-50-10046  
Name of Waterway FISH CREEK USGS name \_\_\_\_\_ Local name \_\_\_\_\_  
Addition \_\_\_\_\_ Deletion \_\_\_\_\_ Correction \_\_\_\_\_ Backup Information X

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| Nomination # _____                     | Regional Supervisor _____ | Date _____ |
| Revision Year: _____                   |                           |            |
| Revision to: Atlas _____ Catalog _____ |                           |            |
| Both _____                             |                           |            |
| Revision Code: _____                   | Drafted _____             | Date _____ |

OBSERVATION INFORMATION

| Species | Date(s) Observed | Spawning | Rearing | Migration | Anadromous |
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Provide any clarifying information, including number of fish observed, location of fish survey data, etc. Attach a copy of the fish survey data, if available. Attach a copy of a map showing location of mouth and upper points of each species, specific stream reaches identified for spawning or rearing, locations of barriers, such as falls.

Comments:

SEE ATTACHED SAMPLING REPORT

Name of Observer (please print) \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Area Biologist: \_\_\_\_\_

## MEMORANDUM

STATE OF ALASKA

To: Kent Roth  
Sport Fish Division  
Anchorage

Date: 09/06/91

From: Paul Cyr *PAC*  
Sport Fish Division  
Anchorage

Subject: Fish Creek Minnow  
Trapping

On September 5th, 11 minnow traps were set along the middle and lower sections of Fish Creek to determine juvenile species distribution, (see attached map for locations). The traps were set from 10:30 - 11:30 AM, and were pulled at 2:30 - 3:30 PM on the same day. Three traps were set in Barbara Park in a 100 ft. section between a duck pond and a cluttered chain link fence, which created an impassable barrier for fish moving upstream. From these traps, two 90-100mm coho were caught. Three traps off Woodland Dr. produced no fish, as did the trap between Northern Lts. and the railroad tracks. The trap placed outside the culvert below the tracks produced one rainbow trout, (approx. 115mm), and one 90-100mm coho. In the trap below the culvert one 90-100mm coho was caught. The two lower traps caught twenty-three stickleback, (both three and nine spine), one Dolly Varden, (approx. 150mm), and one 70mm sockeye. Though not all the traps produced fish, a variety of species were found in these areas of the creek.

## SUMMARY:

| <u>Number Of Traps</u> | <u>Soak Time</u> | <u>Species</u> | <u># Caught</u> |
|------------------------|------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 11                     | 4 hours          | coho           | 4               |
|                        |                  | sockeye        | 1               |
|                        |                  | Dolly Varden   | 1               |
|                        |                  | rainbow trout  | 1               |
|                        |                  | stickleback    | 23              |
|                        |                  | (3 & 9 spine)  |                 |

cc: Seaberg

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